

Union Calendar No. 248106TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION**H. R. 1235****[Report No. 106-426]**

To authorize the Secretary of the Interior to enter into contracts with the Solano County Water Agency, California, to use Solano Project facilities for impounding, storage, and carriage of nonproject water for domestic, municipal, industrial, and other beneficial purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 23, 1999

Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Resources

NOVEMBER 1, 1999

Committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered to be printed

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

1 **SECTION 1. USE OF SOLANO PROJECT FACILITIES FOR**
2 **NONPROJECT WATER.**

3 (a) AUTHORIZATION.—The Secretary of the Interior
4 is authorized to enter into contracts with the Solano Coun-
5 ty Water Agency, or any of its member unit contractors
6 for water from the Solano Project, California, pursuant
7 to the Act of February 21, 1911 (43 U.S.C. 523), for—

8 (1) the impounding, storage, and carriage of
9 nonproject water for domestic, municipal, industrial,
10 and other beneficial purposes, using any facilities as-
11 sociated with the Solano Project, California; and

12 (2) the exchange of water among Solano
13 Project contractors, for the purposes set forth in
14 paragraph (1), using facilities associated with the
15 Solano Project, California.

16 (b) LIMITATION.—The authorization under sub-
17 section (a) shall be limited to the use of that portion of
18 the Solano Project facilities downstream of Mile 26 of the
19 Putah South Canal (as that canal is depicted on the offi-
20 cial maps of the Bureau of Reclamation), which is below
21 the diversion points on the Putah South Canal utilized by
22 the city of Fairfield for delivery of Solano Project water.

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